Mountain Weather Forecast

Bannau Brycheiniog (Brecon Beacons) National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Monday 22 Apr 2024 until 23:59 on Tuesday 23 Apr 2024

Forecast Issued on Monday 22 Apr 2024 at 03:31

Confidence: High confidence in cloudy and damp Monday, lower for rain and shower detail later in week,

Headline for Monday 22 Apr 2024: A cloudy and chilly day with outbreaks of rain, drizzle and some hill fog.

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 22 Apr 2024

Blizzards Medium Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Medium Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** Medium Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Light rain	Light rain	Drizzle
Precipitation probability					
40%	60%	70%	70%	60%	30%

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Weather: Generally a cloudy day with cloud bases lowering quickly through the morning as patchy rain and drizzle approaches from north of the park. Cloud low at times leading to some patchy fog across peaks and upslope regions where there is a chance of more prolonged spells of rain. Feeling much cooler.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 20%.

Low cloud and visibility: Extensive low cloud, 600 falling 400 metres as outbreaks of rain and drizzle spread across the park. Visibility good in drier spells, otherwise moderate to poor in precipitation and amongst upslope low cloud.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	7/10 W	9/12 NW	12/16 NW	13/17 NW	11/15 NE	11/14 NE	10/13 NE
300	3/10 W	5/10 W	6/12 NW	8/15 NW	6/11 NE	4/9 NE	4/8 NE
Valley	3/10 W	5/10 W	6/12 NW	8/15 NW	5/11 NE	3/8 NE	3/7 E

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	4/1	4/0	6/3	7/4	6/3	6/2	4/1
300	5/4	6/4	8/7	10/8	8/7	7/6	6/5
Valley	6/5	7/5	9/8	11/9	9/8	8/7	7/6
Freezing Level*	1600m	1700m	1700m	1700m	1700m	1600m	1400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Low cloud will create poor visibility at times if hiking as well as drizzly outbreaks, creating slippery pathways across the park.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
02:00 on Mon 22 Apr 2024	0mm	0mm	0.2mm

Forecast for Tuesday 23 Apr 2024

Weather: Low cloud to start, perhaps bringing some hill fog and the odd spot of rain and drizzle. Conditions generally improving quickly through the morning, leaving a dry day with light winds. Any cloud generally with high bases with sunshine breaking through at times leaving a pleasant afternoon. Feeling cool, particularly across high peaks.

Maximum wind: North to northeasterly winds, 10-15 mph gusting 20-25 mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops 600m: 20% during the very early hours, quickly rising to 90%.

Low cloud and visibility: Low cloud with bases around 400-500m to start with hill fog possible across lower upslope regions too. Poor visibility within low cloud and drizzly outbreaks. This clearing quickly through the morning leaving little to no low cloud and excellent visibility for scenic outlooks.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 3 Celsius rising to plus 10 Celsius.
At 600m: Minus 2 Celsius rising to plus 5 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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